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## 5 O'clock Edition!

### THE BOYS IN BLUE.

#### Great Gathering of the G. A. R.

#### VIGOROUS, VALIANT VETERANS.

#### Celebrating the Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

#### Visitors and Veterans in Detroit To-day.

#### The Boys Are Marching.

DETROIT, Aug. 4.—As the opening day of the 25th annual encampment, it marks a quarter of a century in the growth of the organization and every soldier realizes it must also mark an epoch in the prosperity of that great order. It has been the desire of all prominent leaders of the organization that the 25th encampment should be the most successful in the history of the G. A. R., and the parade the most magnificent ever known. Certain it is the multitudes which have assembled in Detroit to-day are larger than the city of the straits ever greeted before, and in magnificence of pageantry and beauty of decorations to-day's parade is without precedent in years gone by.

Promptly at the hour indicated, the Posts assembled for parade. Four magnificent arches erected by the citizens in different parts of the city marked the line of march. The most beautiful of them was a magnificent tower and war arch at the intersection of Woodward and Jefferson Avenue. It was a veritable work of art.

Slowly and majestically the procession started from Woodward and Adams Avenues with Commander-in-Chief Veasey and his staff in the lead, until the reviewing stand was reached. The stand from which the Commander-in-Chief and his staff reviewed the parade is situated on Campus Martius on the east side of Woodward Avenue. To Illinois, the home of Lincoln, Grant and Logan, was conferred the honor of the right of the line.

Survivors of Post No. 1 were a conspicuous little group in the Illinois delegation, and their appearance was the signal for cheers. Department Commander Clark led the command, and 3,000 representatives of the Buckeye State were in line. Among the prominent ones were General Post, General Pave, State Auditor; Colonel Sexton, Postmaster at Chicago, and Colonel Cochran. An umbrella corps 300 strong was a feature of the Illinois division. In a corner of the square of blue umbrellas was represented each State in the Union, and red, white and blue umbrellas in columns served to represent the stripes of the flag. As the division passed beneath the triumphal arches, little girls showed the veterans with flowers.

The enthusiasm which greeted the second or Wisconsin division, 700 strong, was unbounded. In the front, and borne high in the air on top of a flagstaff, was perched "Old Abe," the stuffed eagle, which began with the part of Wisconsin's history, a quarter of a century ago. In line with the Wisconsin boys were General Lucius Fairchild, Colonel Weissert, candidate for Commander-in-Chief; Department Commander Upham was in command.

Pennsylvania division came next, 1,500 strong, marching in good order. The Ohio delegation was a vast army of itself, no less than 13,000 veterans being in line.

New York, 2,500 strong, came next, and was the recipient of enthusiastic greeting. Then came a score of battle-flags and streamers that were shot through. Connecticut division followed, and after it came Massachusetts, 2,500 strong. New Jersey was represented by 40 veterans and 100 was in number from Maine. California showed up 25 strong, notwithstanding the distance that they had to come. At their head was their Commander, M. R. Smedburg, whom the delegation is following in such enthusiastic manner for the position of Commander-in-Chief. They were post ordered by Deputy Commander W. H. L. Barnes, Adjutant-General C. Marsteller and Quartermaster-General R. H. Warfield. Then followed New Hampshire, Vermont and Rhode Island, with small delegations. The department of the Potomac with 500 men and Virginia 300 strong, followed; Nebraska

with 500 veterans. Deputy Commander Teeter, commanding, was seen with Governor Thayer on foot. Michigan, with its 15,000 veterans, received the ovation of the day. The division was commanded by Deputy Commander Eaton. Iowa followed with representatives of the Hawkeye State, 3,000 strong, marching to the tune of Yankee Doodle.

The 2,800 veterans from Indiana were greeted with cheers. Following in their order were divisions from Colorado, Wyoming, Kansas, Delaware, Minnesota, Missouri, Oregon, West Virginia, South Dakota, Washington and Alaska, Arkansas, Montana, Texas, Idaho and Alabama. The Naval Veterans and Sons of Veterans, 5,000 strong, brought up the rear and closed the parade.

Ransom Post of St. Louis came in for its share of admiration. It was 200 strong and accompanied by a United States regular guard. This is the first year that Ransom Post ever attended an encampment when their commander, General Sherman, was not present.

#### To-Day's Races.

SARATOGA, Aug. 4.—To-day is cloudy and sultry, with occasional slight showers, but despite that the excellent card for to-day brought a large crowd to the track. The track is good.

Five furlongs—Frank Kinney won, Furnish second, King Cadmus third. Time, 1:03 1/4.

One and one sixteenth miles—Forerunner won, King Crab second, Ballyhoo third. Time, 1:40 1/4.

One and three sixteenths miles—Uncle Bob won, Altkinson second, My Fellow third. Time, 2:04.

One mile and one furlong—Diablo won, Madstone second, Eon third. Time, 1:56.

Seven furlongs—La Tosca won, Mable Glenn second, Mable third. Time, 1:31.

Jerome Park, August 4.—Track fast, fair weather.

Seven furlongs—Stockton won, Post second, Laurel third. Time, 1:31.

Six furlongs—Cadence won, Shellbark second, Hamilton third. Time, 1:16 1/4.

One mile and a furlong—Fairly won, Beany second, Adventurer third. Time, 1:53 1/4.

Six furlongs—Reckon won, Prather second, Silver Prince third. Time, 1:17 1/4.

Five furlongs—Correction won, Styke second, Carrie third. Time, 1:03.

Handicap—Four furlongs—Knapsack won, Marmont second, Caterer third. Time, :51.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 4.—Two-year-olds—Starlight won, Sabina second, Rosiris distanced. Time, 2:35.

GARFIELD PARK, Aug. 4.—Track fast. Thirteen-sixteenths of a mile—Past Odds won, Lea second. Time, 1:21.

One mile and seventy yards—Camilla won, Cressie second, Arundale third. Time, 1:46 1/4.

Five furlongs—Matilda won, Blaze Duke second, Rosola third. Time, 1:02 1/4.

One mile and one furlong—Winn Archer won, Ernest second, Brandollette third. Time, 1:54.

BRIGHTON BEACH, Aug. 4.—Track fast.

Seven furlongs—Ireland won, Theodoros second, Puzzle third. Time, 1:30 1/4.

Five furlongs—Manhasset won, Maxim second, Adalgism third. Time, 1:03 1/4.

Six and one-half furlongs—Kittie won, Lithbert second, Jay third. Time, 1:22 1/4.

Handicap, one mile—Wizzie won, Bellevue second, Willie third. Time, 1:42 1/4.

Five furlongs—Verbena won, Silver Thread Filly second, Belle third. Time, 1:02.

#### Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 4.—Wheat, buyer \$1.61 63 1/4.

#### Weather Report.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Forecast, fair weather.

#### THE COMMISSIONERS.

The Meeting To-day.—Not Much Done Besides Allowing the Bill.

A communication was read from the Reno Light Co., notifying the Commissioners that from August 1st the rate for arc street lights would be \$13 per month, a raise of \$3 per month, and on being put to a vote, Tom Hyman voted no, and W. P. McLaughlin yes on the raise, when it was laid over to the third Monday in the month.

The light at the corner at the Opera House was discontinued.

A communication was received from J. M. McCormick asking permission to move his wooden workshop from the north end of the bridge to the Baptist Church lot back of the Gazette office, and it was referred to Chairman Hyman to talk with the property holders and see if consent could be got. The usual bills were allowed, and no further business appearing, the Board adjourned to meet the third Monday in the month.

## EDITORS ALL INDICTED

### New York Newspa- pers Caught.

#### BLACK REPUBLIC REFUGEES.

#### Columbian Commissioners in Berlin.

#### Cabinet Change in the Island Kingdom.

#### The Color Line.

DETROIT, Aug. 4.—There is a serious dispute which threatens to mar the serenity of the Silver Encampment of the G. A. R. It is the "color question." Colonel Hedges, Commander of the department of Louisiana and Mississippi, said to-day: "Unless this thing is straightened out during this encampment, there won't be a white member of the G. A. R. south of the Ohio or Potomac a year hence. They are outnumbering us in posts, thus putting us directly under them. That we will not stand now. We want to rule ourselves and have the colored people go by themselves. All we ask for is a provisional department embracing Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas."

There are two sides to the colored question, and Colonel James Lewis (colored) administrator of police and administrator of public works at New Orleans, is champion of the colored side. When asked what the trouble in Louisiana was, he said, "We have nine posts with a membership of over 1,000, yet we are not recognized by the commander of our department. We get no representation in the convention and are ordered to report to the Commander-in-Chief. The Department Commander thinks we want social recognition. I claim the order is not a social one, but a historic and fraternal one."

#### An Old Feud.

ORANGE (Tex.), August 4.—Belder Sanders, who has just returned from Lake Charles, La., confirms the report of a riot at Lockmore & Co.'s Railroad. The last account he heard was from a wounded man who left the scene at 4 o'clock yesterday. He stated that fourteen men were killed and two missing. It was a free-for-all fight between the "Red Bones" and the "Whites." Sanders stated that many different reports were being circulated and nothing more authentic could be learned. The latest reports place the number of wounded at sixteen. Officers and physicians have gone to the scene. It is rumored the physicians were waylaid and murdered.

Another account of the riot comes from West Lake, La., to the effect that the trouble was caused by the breaking out of an old feud between a band of robbers known as the Ashworth gang and the cattlemen of that section.

The following is a partial list of those killed: Doc Dyson, Marion Markle, Lee Perkins and Owen Ashworth of the Red Bone gang, and Jesse Ward and Swan of the cattlemen. The latest reports are to the effect that everything is quiet. The coroner is making an investigation.

#### World's Fair.

BERLIN, August 4.—The Foreign Committee of the Chicago Columbian Exhibition, accompanied by Phelps, United States Minister, to-day visited the Secretary of the Imperial Home Office and a representative of the Chancellor. The secretary expressed his confidence that Germany would be represented at the World's Fair in a manner worthy of the occasion. The committee was subsequently received by Chancellor Von Capriv.

#### Editors Indicted.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The Grand Jury this afternoon handed up a batch of indictments against the editors and publishers of the New York city newspapers, except the Tribune, charging them with misdemeanor for publishing an account of the execution of the murderers recently killed at Sing Sing. The Tribune is the only paper found to have complied with the law. The indicted men will be summoned to give bail.

#### Lightning Struck It.

BERLIN, August 4.—Lightning struck the garrison storehouse at Rathenow this morning, completely destroying it and the contents. Loss, \$575,000.

Special to the GAZETTE.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—The steamship Australia, from Honolulu, was sighted ten miles off shore at 9:30 this morning.

#### ISLAND NEWS.

Hawaiian papers to July 29th per steamship Australia, which arrived to-day, state that Queen Liliuokalani has tendered the Hon. J. Matt Smith the portfolio of Minister of Finance, vice Widemann, resigned, and that he has accepted. Dr. Smith filled the offices of Minister of Finance and of the Interior about twelve years ago.

Customs statistics show that for the first six months of the present year there was an increase in the exports of sugar from the islands of 24,000 tons over the same period in 1890. Most of the plantations have finished grinding cane by the season. The total production of sugar for 1891 is estimated at about 230,000 tons. An average reduction of 25 per cent of taxes on sugar plantations has been granted by the Calumet as the result of a conference with planters, who complain of the depreciation in the value of sugar, owing to the tariff measures of the United States.

The 4th of July was observed in the customary manner by American residents of the Islands.

#### Escaped in the Fog.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 4.—Charles White, Richard Cody, George Ward, George Wores, Thomas Murphy and Frank Regan escaped from the House of Correction yesterday, being assisted in their flight by the dense fog which enveloped the vicinity. Regan was soon recaptured. Superintendent Fragley has sent guards in all directions and is confident that the other escapes will be recaptured before long. The men were employed as trustees at the institution.

#### Omaha Strike.

OMAHA, Aug. 4.—There is no change to-day in the strike or the situation; the men who are out are holding meetings. The Mayor to-day issued a proclamation commanding all persons to desist from congregating about the business establishments for the purpose of enforcing the eight-hour law by any show of violence or force.

#### O'Brien a Bankrupt.

DUBLIN, Aug. 4.—In the Bankruptcy Court to-day an order was issued granting William O'Brien a further extension of three days in which to show cause why the decree in bankruptcy against him should not be issued.

#### Belgium's Queen.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 4.—The alarm occasioned by the sudden attack of illness, which the Queen suffered yesterday, is abating. A bulletin issued this morning shows her Majesty will soon recover from her indisposition.

#### Indian Commissioner.

WASHINGTON, August 4.—L. Morgan of Cottonwood Falls, Kansas, has been appointed on the commission to negotiate with the Indians of Pyramid Lake Reservation in Nevada, vice Jay G. Stonerker, resigned.

#### Fire Victims.

SCOTTSDALE (Pa.), Aug. 4.—The bodies of three men were found in the Moyer mine this morning. They are supposed to have lost their lives at the time the mine was on fire during the strike.

#### Wandering Refugees.

COLON, August 4.—Forty-one Haytian refugees have arrived here from Port-au-Prince, where they had taken refuge in various consulates. They report everything quiet in the capital.

#### Flour Mill Burned.

BAKER CITY (Or.), August 4.—Early this morning Duncan Bros. Flouring Mills were totally destroyed by fire. Loss, \$27,000; insurance, \$17,000. It is believed to be of incendiary origin.

#### A Broken Broker.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The assignee of Abraham Baker, the noted broker, to-day stated he would be able to make a statement as to the condition of Baker's affairs in a few days.

#### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Hobartown bank of Van Diemanland has suspended. Its paid up capital was £250,000 pounds and its reserve capital equal in amount.

The Old Colony Distillery Company of New Haven, which was attached Saturday for \$150,000; has applied for permission to suspend temporarily.

W. L. Bock, cashier of the First National Bank of Darby, Delaware county, Pa., was killed by a train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Colliadale this morning.

Emperor William.  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
BERLIN, August 4.—Emperor William on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern has arrived at Bergen, Norway, on his way to Germany.

New York Stocks.  
By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, August 4.—Money easy, 1 1/2 and 2 per cent; stocks dull and steady at insignificant changes from opening prices. Coupons, 16 1/4.

Customs Receipts.  
By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, August 4.—The total receipts from customs during July were \$8,485,232 less than the receipts for the same month last year.

DIED.  
DIXON, Ill., July 30, 1891. Owen Doyle, aged 4 days, and his wife, Mrs. Doyle, aged 24 days, two children of Charles and Mrs. Doyle.

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RENO possesses school facilities of which she feels proud, and has a right to. Her public schools are as good as any on the Coast, or in the United States for that matter, and a young man or woman who graduates from the Reno High School is well fitted for the battle of life, and need not be ashamed to tell where he was educated. But if he desires to fit himself out with a polished education and select a profession, he can enter the Nevada State University, and there have educational advantages that are unsurpassed in any country on earth. The Regents have added a new and much needed feature to the institution in the shape of a complete library as can be found, consisting of all the standard histories, works on English literature, reference books, and in fact all the works necessary to complete an education on any subject. The Fall term begins on September 3d, and promises to be the most successful of any previous ones, for the Faculty expect more new and advanced material to work with. Nevada will turn out as many or more bright minds, according to her population, as any State in the Union in a year, or two. If parents do not want to trust their girls in the public schools or University, they can send them to the School for Girls or Mount St. Mary's Academy and be sure that they have a home, as well as superior educational advantages, where they can get as good an education as can be had at any private institution in the land. Come to Reno and educate your children.

THE Chicago Tribune contains this on silver:

What facts in regard to the relative circulation of gold and silver today? Does not the average citizen handle a hundred silver dollars where he touches one gold eagle? Are not the great majority of currency notes received and paid out silver certificates of the deposit of so many silver dollars in the National Treasury? Are not these silver certificates used in the payment of customs in the ratio of nearly three dollars for every dollar paid in gold certificates? These questions must all be answered in the affirmative, and it then stands to reason that the grumblers have nothing to howl about. Already the silver dollar, held up to par of gold by limiting its coinage, forms the basis of a large part of our circulation. The paper issued against it is used for paying more than half of the customs duties, internal taxes of every kind, wages to employees, and bills for groceries and other things consumed by the citizen. What more do the cranks want? Why, they want to expel gold from circulation and tumble the value of silver down to its bullion level in order to cheat creditors with cheap John money.

The "cranks," as the Tribune is pleased to call the silver men, want more money to successfully carry on the volume of business. They want to see the wrong done silver in 1873 righted. They want to see it take its place beside gold and pass current for all debts, both public and private. They don't want to see it debased and debauched and kicked around Wall street like a mass of old iron to give the gold men at the East a chance to rob and plunder the West and every farmer in the Union out of a percentage of his hard-earned coin.

THERE was a time when American goods, particularly textile fabrics, were regarded as of inferior quality, but the Dry Goods Chronicle asserts that it now requires an expert to distinguish any difference between many lines of American and foreign goods, and even an expert cannot tell in some instances whether the goods are made in this country or in Germany, France or England.

THERE were 147 suicides in Berlin during the first fortnight of July. The cause of this enormous record of self-destruction is officially attributed chiefly to drink. The Emperor's suggestion concerning State supervision of the healthy qualities of beverages may consequently lead to important results.

THE present Administration seems to be doing its best to exclude Chinese immigration by enforcing the law. The present Administration has been the only one which has seemed desirous of excluding the Chinese.

## BRIDGE BUILDING.

How One Was Constructed in Germany by Guss.

I was a lieutenant of engineers under Von Moltke, said Paul Wolff, of Washington, to a representative of the St. Louis Globe Democrat. Let me give you a chapter from my personal experience to show how thoroughly the German war department prepared for emergencies. One day a message came to me at the barracks bidding me report in civilian dress at the railroad station and receive orders. I went to the station.

A man approached me and addressed me as Meyer. I said: "My name is Wolff." "No," said he, "your name is Meyer. Here is your bag of samples. You are selling whisky. I am selling wine. We will go to such and such a city and call on Mr. So-and-so and Mr. So-and-so, and try and sell them some goods." We went and I made an effort to sell whisky by the sample, but didn't sell any, of course.

Then we proceeded to another city and tried to sell goods there. After we had visited several merchants and had returned to the hotel my companion said to me: "We will take a walk and go across the bridge. We will not return together. On your way back you will pass the bridge, and going and coming you will keep your eyes open to observe all the points you can about the bridge."

Then for the first time I began to have a suspicion of what was really wanted. I strolled down to the bridge and leaned over the edge, looking at some workmen who were making holes in the abutments. I observed the plan of construction from various points, and then went on across the stream.

After awhile I started back, and on my way I passed the bridge arch by arch. In the engineer corps we are trained to pace distances with great exactness. I can walk a block now and tell the length of it within six inches. I returned to my hotel without having made a note, but with my head full of the plan of construction. My companion joined me.

"Now," said he, "you will return to the place from which we started and you will make as complete a description of the bridge as you can and turn it in." I carried out the order and made no more of the expedition. A considerable time after that war came and the German army marched to the frontier.

As the advance drew near the bridge I had reported upon was blown up and fell in a mass of ruins. The army halted. A train of freight cars came forward, and from those cars was taken the prepared material with which a new bridge was put together in a few hours, and the army marched over the river and into the enemy's country.

Every timber and every piece of metal was ready for immediate use. A new bridge had been constructed throughout for that particular crossing, based upon my report.

THE "BIG HEAD" IN SOCIETY.

How Personal Conceit Distorts the Charms of Nature.

The big head is no longer monopolized by theatrical stars; it has broken out, says the New York World, if one may say so, in polite society, and the least of us may be afflicted by cranial enlargement. It did not seem possible that the big head could be contagious, but in these days of imitation it has been proved otherwise, and more than one of your acquaintances will be found suffering from it. The society woman who has achieved some local success is the first to find her acquaintances observing this capital change; they say nothing to her, of course, but they look unutterable things when she betrays herself and her new self-importance. Very youthful persons, whom the world in which they move has kindly noticed, will carry round on their shoulders a head out of all proportions with their moral size; but they go unchallenged, because big head is now so prevalent that as a monstrosity it would prove a drug in the dime museum line. To believe in one's self, to determine to win the race, really to be somebody, is all praiseworthy in the extreme, but the instant these noble endeavors fly to the head all is lost. The head swells, and when that misfortune occurs all the symmetry of individuality vanishes, and a disagreeable personal conceit comes to distort the sweetest natural charms. Modesty is a rare quality in the present day. There seems to be no room for its cultivation. Apparently, nobody has any use for modesty, and only blatant self-sufficiency, with the inevitable result, big head, now has the floor.

A NATION OF LIARS.

Servians as Ready with Prevarication as with Rhymes.

A talk with King Milan is rich mental pabulum for the traveler who is weary and athirst in the dreary conversational wastes of the Balkans, says Harper's Weekly. It is an unmixing delight, but should be partaken of with the admixture of much salt. It is a delightful causerie set going by converses after the Servian fashion, and concluded with Turkish coffee and cigarettes, and a more than Persian etiquette prevails throughout. On crossing over into these countries one is immediately forced to the conclusion that Oscar Wilde's lament "over the decay in the art of lying" is at least premature, and in conversation with the ex-king you, if you never have before, are immediately caught, and participate in the eccentric poet's admiration and enthusiasm for the able and unblushing storyteller who never gives way to philosophic doubt and who is aware that the criterion of truth is fluctuating. King Milan falls quite naturally into bombastic blank verse, and when warning to his work even soars to rhythmic rhyme. Your Servian cannot help this. It is inherent in his language and innate in his blood. The minister of finance, whose name I would not venture to spell, made his budget report to the skuptschina three years ago in well arranged quatrains. But the budget did not balance as well as the quatrains, and while his report was received as a remarkable production in literary circles, in the world of finance it excited distrust and suspicion, and Servian bonds would have taken a tumble had they not been already deeply embedded in the bottom rock of boussé quotations.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

### Pimples.

The old idea was that facial eruptions were due to a "blood humor," for which they gave poisons. Thus the old sarsaparilla contained potash, a drastic mineral, that instead of decreasing, actually creates more eruptions. You have noticed this when taking other sarsaparilla. It is however now known that the stomach, the blood creating power, is the seat of all vitiation or cleansing operation. A stomach clogged by indigestion or constipation, vitiates the blood, results in pimples. A clean stomach and healthful digestion purifies it and they disappear. Thus Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla is compounded after the modern idea to regulate the bowels and stimulate the digestion. The effect is immediate. A short testimonial to contrast the action of the potash sarsaparilla and Joy's, Mrs. C. D. Stuart, of 400 Hayes St., N. Y., writes: "I have for years had indigestion. I tried a popular sarsaparilla but it actually caused more pimples to break out on my face. Hearing that Joy's was a later preparation and acted differently, I tried it and the pimples immediately disappeared."

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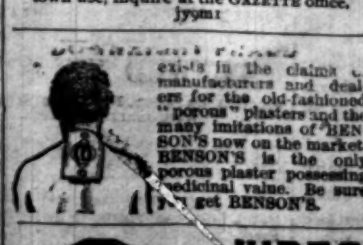
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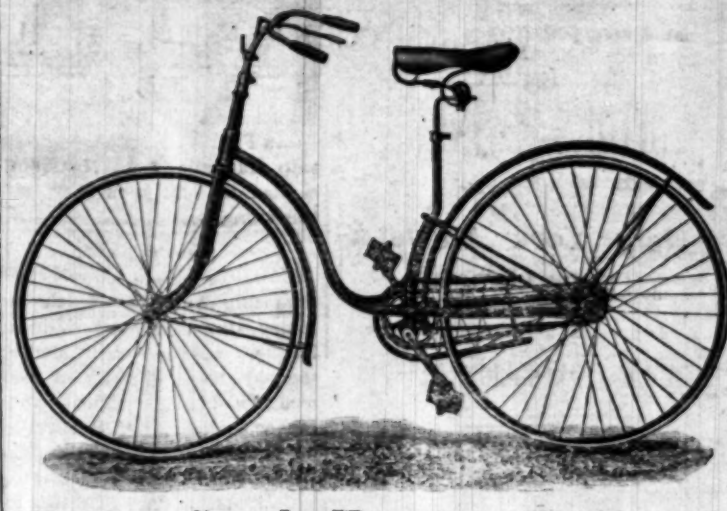


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AT LAUGHTON'S SPRINGS, SATURDAY night, August 28th. Best of music furnished by Reichenbach-Hastings combination. jyl16

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## Notice To Creditors.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe.

In the matter of the estate of John Singleton, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned, at the law office of Benjamin Currier in the First National Bank Building, room 10, Reno, Nevada.

RICHARD H. SINGLETON, Administrator.

BENJAMIN CURRIER, Attorney for Administrator.

Reno, June 10, 1891. jey10

## Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF ANDREW J. HUTCHINSON, deceased.

NOTICE is given to all persons who have claims or demands against the estate of Andrew J. Hutchinson, deceased, to present the same, with the proper vouchers and proofs, to Charles T. Bender, at the First National Bank of Reno, Nevada, for allowance, within ten months from the date hereof. If such demands or claims are not presented within the time above stated, they will be barred.

CHAS. T. BENDER, Administrator of said Estate.

Dated this July 10, 1891. jyl10

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Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M.

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"Yes, there's a good deal of a knack in driving a hack through the streets of a crowded city."

It was my friend the Jehu who admitted the soft impeachment as we tackled down Broadway, says a writer in the New York Herald.

The carriage was one of the Fifth Avenue hotel rigs, and was the latest thing out of the warehouse apparently, but with a peculiar born of long practice and an ease which the elder Jehu could not have surpassed in his palmist days.

He succeeded in just missing wheels on every hand.

"You see, it kinder gits to be second nature to miss a wheel," he said. "It ain't so much the eye nor yet the touch, as the instinct. I believe I could drive from here to the battery, barrin' the holes and ditches of the pavement rippers, with blinders on and not touch a wheel."

Why, bless you, sir, I've walked up moon or once and found I was driving in my sleep. Oh, that ain't no soak, though it does sound like it perhaps.

I remember once when my little Jinny was sick with the scarlet fever. The old woman was poorly, and I sat up with the gal every minute I could get off. We were pressed for work, too, for it was in the presidential canvass an' the blingbings was comin' an' goin' on every train. So I had to keep to the box when otherwise I could have took a day, or maybe like a week off.

"Well, sir, one night, when I was clean done up with watchin' and drivin', I had an order to take four congressmen to the Cortlandt street ferry for the 'limited.' I had these same horses—ostendy nags, but as good a pair as you will find in any gentleman's stable, and fellows as knows the way as well as I do myself, and I've been drivin' it for fifteen year."

"It was Friday afternoon, and the 'way was pretty sure to be full of trucks, yet we started pretty late too. The passengers were nervous, and one of 'em—it was old Sunset Cox, rest his soul—who knew me well, says: 'Put her through, Jerry, an' there's two dollars extra waitin' for you.'"

"All right, Mr. Cox," says I, "you'll be there, never fear."

"I give old Billy there a cut which he understood meant 'time,' an' away we went. I had 'em well in hand, and it only required a touch to keep 'em on the alert, though I do believe they knew as much about steering this here vehicle as I myself. Then I got to thinkin' about little Jinny and wonderin' if the doctor was goin' to pull her through. The next thing I knew, sir, I didn't know nothin'."

"I was fast asleep. An' we goin' lickety split down Broadway, and that street half jammed! It makes me sweat now to think of it!"

"Suddenly I felt something tugging at my coat tails, and pulled in. It was Mr. Cox, who wanted me to stop for something. We were in front of the post office. 'He had a quick eye, and he says, gettin' as pale as a ghost: 'My God, man, you were asleep!'"

"I owned up the corn at once, though it was done so low the other passengers did not hear a word, and I told him the reason, an' how I had been settin' up nights with my girl Jinny."

"Don't say a word," says he, and upon my soul, sir, I see a tear in his eye. "When we reached the ferry: 'Here's your fare,' says he, 'no change,' an' he walked quickly into the ferry-house. I spread out the bill, which was all in a wodge, an' what do you think, sir? It were a twenty! That were the sort of man Sunset Cox was. No wonder that he did not get rich in congress."

"Yes, sir, I had drove all the way down to Park place in my sleep, an' if I had been wide-awake, with forty eyes to keep on the tracks and wagons, I couldn't have done it slicker. Nothing like habit, now I tell you!"

"Who, Jinny? Oh, she's all right, an' as slick a gal as you'd like to see. She's in the second grade, grammar, an' she's goin' to the normal and to make a teacher—that is if some young fellow don't snap her up for a wife before. There's danger of that, too, for she's mighty handsome—looks like her dad, eh! Thank you, sir! Yes, I don't mind a smoke now and then, if it's a real good one."

CANINE INSTINCT.

A Case in Which It Resembled Human Reason.

On one occasion, lately, writes J. A. Bartlett in Longman's Magazine, London, a particularly fine Newfoundland dog was sitting on a wooden bridge discussing a bone, when a predatory mastiff came along, and, being unable or unwilling to distinguish between meum and tuum, a smart altercation arose.

So violent became the debate, that both suddenly overbalanced and fell into the stream beneath. The nearest landing place was a hundred yards down, and to the Newfoundland between himself without much difficulty, and, after a good shake, was preparing to depart, when he suddenly became aware that the other dog, who was more of a soldier than a sailor, was wildly beating the water and drowning as fast as he could drown. One look was enough. In went he of the shaggy coat, and, seizing the other dog by the collar, brought his late enemy safely to land. The two dogs then eyed each other with a perfectly indescribable expression for some seconds, then silently and solemnly wagged their caudal appendages, and with dignity departed. Some will, no doubt, say this was but instinct, and they may be right; but I prefer to give my four-footed friends the benefit of the doubt.

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# ASLEEP ON THE BOX.

The Interesting Experience of an Empire City Jehu.

He Tells About a Perilous Ride Which He Gave Four Congressmen—A Pleasant Reminder of Sunset Cox.

"Yes, there's a good deal of a knack in driving a hack through the streets of a crowded city."

It was my friend the Jehu who admitted the soft impeachment as we tackled down Broadway, says a writer in the New York Herald.

The carriage was one of the Fifth Avenue hotel rigs, and was the latest thing out of the warehouse apparently, but with a peculiar born of long practice and an ease which the elder Jehu could not have surpassed in his palmist days.

He succeeded in just missing wheels on every hand.

"You see, it kinder gits to be second nature to miss a wheel," he said. "It ain't so much the eye nor yet the touch, as the instinct. I believe I could drive from here to the battery, barrin' the holes and ditches of the pavement rippers, with blinders on and not touch a wheel."

Why, bless you, sir, I've walked up moon or once and found I was driving in my sleep. Oh, that ain't no soak, though it does sound like it perhaps.

I remember once when my little Jinny was sick with the scarlet fever. The old woman was poorly, and I sat up with the gal every minute I could get off. We were pressed for work, too, for it was in the presidential canvass an' the blingbings was comin' an' goin' on every train. So I had to keep to the box when otherwise I could have took a day, or maybe like a week off.

"Well, sir, one night, when I was clean done up with watchin' and drivin', I had an order to take four congressmen to the Cortlandt street ferry for the 'limited.' I had these same horses—ostendy nags, but as good a pair as you will find in any gentleman's stable, and fellows as knows the way as well as I do myself, and I've been drivin' it for fifteen year."

"It was Friday afternoon, and the 'way was pretty sure to be full of trucks, yet we started pretty late too. The passengers were nervous, and one of 'em—it was old Sunset Cox, rest his soul—who knew me well, says: 'Put her through, Jerry, an' there's two dollars extra waitin' for you.'"

"All right, Mr. Cox," says I, "you'll be there, never fear."

"I give old Billy there a cut which he understood meant 'time,' an' away we went. I had 'em well in hand, and it only required a touch to keep 'em on the alert, though I do believe they knew as much about steering this here vehicle as I myself. Then I got to thinkin' about little Jinny and wonderin' if the doctor was goin' to pull her through. The next thing I knew, sir, I didn't know nothin'."

"I was fast asleep. An' we goin' lickety split down Broadway, and that street half jammed! It makes me sweat now to think of it!"

"Suddenly I felt something tugging at my coat tails, and pulled in. It was Mr. Cox, who wanted me to stop for something. We were in front of the post office. 'He had a quick eye, and he says, gettin' as pale as a ghost: 'My God, man, you were asleep!'"

"I owned up the corn at once, though it was done so low the other passengers did not hear a word, and I told him the reason, an' how I had been settin' up nights with my girl Jinny."

"Don't say a word," says he, and upon my soul, sir, I see a tear in his eye. "When we reached the ferry: 'Here's your fare,' says he, 'no change,' an' he walked quickly into the ferry-house. I spread out the bill, which was all in a wodge, an' what do you think, sir? It were a twenty! That were the sort of man Sunset Cox was. No wonder that he did not get rich in congress."

"Yes, sir, I had drove all the way down to Park place in my sleep, an' if I had been wide-awake, with forty eyes to keep on the tracks and wagons, I couldn't have done it slicker. Nothing like habit, now I tell you!"

"Who, Jinny? Oh, she's all right, an' as slick a gal as you'd like to see. She's in the second grade, grammar, an' she's goin' to the normal and to make a teacher—that is if some young fellow don't snap her up for a wife before. There's danger of that, too, for she's mighty handsome—looks like her dad, eh! Thank you, sir! Yes, I don't mind a smoke now and then, if it's a real good one."

CANINE INSTINCT.

A Case in Which It Resembled Human Reason.

On one occasion, lately, writes J. A. Bartlett in Longman's Magazine, London, a particularly fine Newfoundland dog was sitting on a wooden bridge discussing a bone, when a predatory mastiff came along, and, being unable or unwilling to distinguish between meum and tuum, a smart altercation arose.

So violent became the debate, that both suddenly overbalanced and fell into the stream beneath. The nearest landing place was a hundred yards down, and to the Newfoundland between himself without much difficulty, and, after a good shake, was preparing to depart, when he suddenly became aware that the other dog, who was more of a soldier than a sailor, was wildly beating the water and drowning as fast as he could drown. One look was enough. In went he of the shaggy coat, and, seizing the other dog by the collar, brought his late enemy safely to land. The two dogs then eyed each other with a perfectly indescribable expression for some seconds, then silently and solemnly wagged their caudal appendages, and with dignity departed. Some will, no doubt, say this was but instinct, and they may be right; but I prefer to give my four-footed friends the benefit of the doubt.

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